

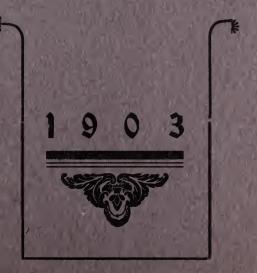


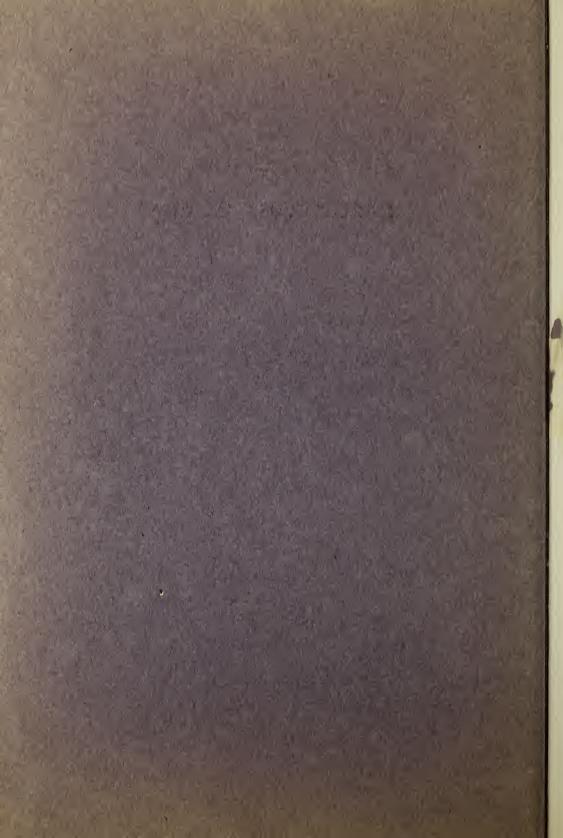




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Financial Statement Piscataquis County





Compliments of

H. S. Towne.

County Commissioner.



ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Financial Condition

OF THE

County of Piscataquis

FOR THE YEAR

1903.

FOXCROFT:
F. D. BARROWS, PRINTER,
1 9 0 4.



LAW OF THE STATE.

R. S. Chap. 8, Sec. 10, as amended by Chap. 305. Acts and Resolves of the Legislature of 1885.

SEC. 10—Each Treasurer shall, at the end of each year, in connection with the Commissioners, make a statement of its financial condition, showing in detail all money received into and paid out of its treasury, and other facts and statistics, necessary to exhibit the true state of its finances, including the number of weeks' board and expense of clothing furnished prisioners, and shall publish in pamphlet form a reasonable number of copies for distribution among its citizens.

Approved March 4, 1885.

R. S. Chap. 73, Sec. 24, as amended by Chap. 381. Acts and Resolves of the Legislature of 1885.

SEC. 24—At the end of each year, the Commissioners of each County shall make a statement of its financial condition, showing in detail all money received into and paid out of its treasury, and such other facts and statistics, as may be necessary to exhibit the true state of its finances, and publish in pamphlet form a reasonable number of copies for distribution among the citizens thereof.

Approved March 6, 1885.

Court Directory and County Officers.

Supreme Judicial Court === Terms at Dover.

CIVIL AND CRIMINAL—Last Tuesday of February and third Tuesday in September.

PROBATE COURT—Terms: First Tuesday of every month.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT—Regular terms: First Tuesday of April, August and December.

MUNICIPAL COURT—Civil Terms: Third Tuesday of each month.

County Officers.

CALVIN W. BROWN, Judge of Probate,	Dover
MARTIN L. DURGIN, County Attorney,	- Milo
HENRY B. FLINT, Clerk of Courts,	Foxcroft
CALEB H. CUSHING, County Treasurer,	Dover
EDWARD E. WHITNEY, Register of Deeds,	Dover
ALFRED R. PEAKS, Register of Probate,	Foxcroft
County Commissioners	

- - - - - Brownville

H. S. TOWNE, - - - - Dover
E. M. BRAY, - - - - - Monson

E. H. POOLE.

Sheriff.

EDWIN S. IRELAND, - - - - Sebec

	wehnty	Sixtilla) +		
A. E. LEONARD, -	-	-		-	- Milo
OTIS MARTIN, -		-	-		Guilford
JAMES M. KNOWLES,	-	-		-	- Dover
A. C. CURTIS, -		-	-		Wellington
CHARLES F. DEARTH	I, -	-		-	Foxcroft
JOHN H. WEYMOUTH	.,		-	-	Sangerville
JOHN R. FLINT, -	-	-		-	Monson

County Tax for 1903.

Authorized by the Legislature and apportioned by the County Commissioners.

TOWNS.	AMOUNT.	UNPAID JAN. 1, 1904.
Abbot,	\$ 300 59	\$ 200 59
Atkinson,	264 33	189 33
Brownville,	777 09	416 01
Blanchard,	119 46	
Dover,	1,630 22	830 22
Foxcroft,	1,167 40	867 40
Greenville,	801 62	400 81
Guilford,	1,054 63	500 00
Medford,	121 72	81 97
Milo,	811 63	656 96
Monson,	428 05	214 02
Orneville,	185 39	
Parkman,	414 26	214 26
Sangerville,	931 64	465 82
Sebec,	289 14	° 164 14
Shirley,	142 26	70 26
Wellington,	169 33	69 33
Williamsburg,	68 39	
Willimatic,	183 05	83 05
	\$9,860 20	\$5,424 17
Unincorporated Places		
and Townships,	11,253 10	10,460 33
Timber and Grass on		
Reserved Lands,	366 84	366 84
	\$21,480 14	\$16,251 34

The tax on wild lands or unincorporated plantations is collected by the State Treasurer and is paid by him to the County.

Receipts and Expenditures of the County Treasurer for the year 1903.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in Treasury Jan. 1, 1903,	\$ 315	36
Collected bal. of 1902 County tax from towns		
(see page 7)	3,140	78
Collected of 1903 County tax from towns, (see page 7)	4,436	03
Collected of 1902 State and County taxes, (see page 8)	58	IO
Collected of 1903 State and County taxes, (see page 8)	2,047	09
Collected Road Assessments in unincorporated places,	1,584	29
Received from Fines and Costs, (see page 8)	2,306	94
Received from State Treasurer on account of plantation		
taxes, (including \$157.60 interest,)	6,295	56
Received from C. H. Graves & Son, for confiscated		
liquors,	91	43
Received Temporary loans from Piscataquis Savings Ba	nk,	
(see outstanding notes, page 21,)	1,500	00
	\$21,775	58

EXPENDITURES.

Paid County Commissioners Orders, (see pages 9-13)	\$5,629	24
Paid County Commissioners Bills of Cost (see page 16	1,462	15
Paid Supreme Judicial Court Bills of Cost, 27 cases, (ir	1	
cluding expenses in State vs. Ballard, (see page 16)		
and State vs. Guyette (see page 16)	2,325	29
Paid Supreme Judicial Expenses, (see page 17)	3,909	84
Paid Supreme Judicial, Dover Municipal, and Probate		
Court Orders, (see page 17 to 19)	413	55
Paid Law Library, 20 per cent Liquor fines,	380	00
Paid Miscellaneous Bills, (see page 20)	4,092	96
Paid County Officers, (see page 20)	2,375	00
Cash on hand and in Banks,	1,187	55
	\$21,775	58

Collected Balance of 1902	County Tax from Towns.
Abbot,	100 55
Atkinson,	71 19
Brownville,	302 65
Dover,	600 00
Foxeroft,	529 26
Greenville,	293 09
Guilford,	400 00
Medford,	46 58
Milo,	286 05
Parkman,	227 97
Sebec,	119 75
Wellington,	62 41
Williamsburg,	24 12
Willimantic,	77 16
	\$3,140 7
Collected of 1903 Cou	nty Tax from Towns.
Abbot,	100 00
Atkinson,	75 00
Brownville,	361 08
Blanchard,	119 46
Dover,	800 00
Foxeroft,	300 00
Greenville,	400 81
Guilford,	554 63
Medford,	39 75
Milo,	154 67
Monson,	214 03
Orneville,	185 39
Parkman,	200 00
Sangerville,	465 82
Sebec,	125 00
Shirley,	72 00
Wellington,	100 00
Williamsburg,	68 39
Willimantic,	100 00

State and County Taxes of 1902 Collected.

Elliottsville,

58 10

State and County Taxes of 1903 Collected.

Barn	ard,	184	72
Bow	erbank,	454	00
Lak	eview,	613	69
King	gsbury,	389	8 r
Ellic	otsville,	404	87

\$2,047 09

Fines and Costs.

From Henry B. Flint, Clerk of Courts, February Term, S. J. C. 1903.

State vs.	Henry S. Rogers,	320	00
,, ,,	E. W. Whitehouse, et al,	10	00
,, ,,	C. M. Woods, et al,	320	00
,, ,,	C. E. Wilson,	220	00
,, ,,	C. A. Judkins,	320	00
	F. E. Jipson,	320	00
,, ,,	H. T. Dillon,	120	00
,, ,,	Henry Bartley,	120	00

\$1,750 00

From E. C. Smith, Judge Dover Municipal Court.

State	vs.	H. N. Bartley,	100	00
,,	,,	H. S. Rogers,	100	00
,,	,,	I. O. Hunt,	40	00
,,	, ,	H. N. Bartley,	50	00
,,	,,	H. S. Rogers,	50	00
,,	,,	B. M. Packard,	50	00
,,	,,	Fred W. Palmer,	25	00
,,	,,	W. L. Brown,		01
,,	,,	A. W. Jones,	5	00

, ,	" Wm. Merrill,	5	00	
, ,	" Harry Harrington,		ΟI	
,,	" Arthur Shaw,	5	00	
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, ,	'' James Wilson,	5	00	
, ,	'' Eugene L. Priest,	5	00	
, ,	'' Samuel Hall,	3	00	
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				\$443
rom	Solomon S. Cole, Trial Justice.			
	State vs. Daniel Graham,	5	00	
	state vs. Daniel Granam,	J		
	James M. Knowles, Jailer.	J		
rom	James M. Knowles, Jailer.	108		
rom		v		
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rom	James M. Knowles, Jailer.	v		113 (

Paid County Commissioners' Orders.

EXPENSES OF COURT HOUSE.

Printing and Publishing.

R	urleigh & Flynt, ecorder Publishing Co., . D. Barrows,		25 25 00	
				\$ 863 43
Books, S	Stationery, etc.			
V	m. W. Roberts & Co.,	85	94	
E	. F. Dillingham,	149	25	
E	.E. Cole & Co.,	37	09	
G	. M. Donham,	I 2	00	
L	oring, Short & Harmon,	. 10	00	
H	. L. Davis & Co.,	. 9	50	
В	angor Pub. Co.,	6	00	
				\$309 78

Postage and Cash paid out.			
A. A. Dinsmore,	34	25	
H. B. Flint,	12	89	
A. R. Peaks,	1 1	75	
C. H. Cushing,	23	52	
Mrs. A. M. Warren,	I	00	
			\$83 41
B. L. Batchelor & Co.			
Furnishings for Court House,	34	15	
Repairs on Register of Deeds' Office,	65	79	
E. S. Favor.			
Cuspadore and tray for Court House,	I	80	
G. G. Downing.			
Curtain Fixtures,	2	25	
J. Q. Lander.			
Tinware, etc., for Court House and Jail,	6 I	86	
Sawyer & Gifford.			
Hardware at Court House and Jail,	2	16	
Runnals Bros.			
Work on boiler and heating apparatus a	ıt		
Court House and Jail,	30	03	
Walter G. Foss.			
Street sprinkling,	13	00	
John Ackerley.			
Concrete walk,	103	00	
Perley E. Ward & Co.			
Repairing chair,		35	
Loring C. Towne.			
Labor on buildings,	5	00	
Remington Typewriter Co.			
Typewriter for Clerk of Courts,	102	50	

Pneumatic Hand Stamp Co. Hand Stamp for Clerk of Courts,	6 64	
Bangor Rubber Stamp Co.	0 04	
Seal for Dover Municipal Court,	2 90	
Underwood Typewriter Co.		
Repairs on typewriter Probate Office,	7 00	
		\$438 4
Coal and Wood for Court House and Jail.		
Babson & Co.,	\$393 75	
I. K. Dow & Sons,	143 75	
C. B. Hamilton,	130 00	
L. J. Drinkwater,	3 00	
John MacGregor,	14 80	
		\$685 3
Water for Court House and Jail.		
D. & F. Water District,	55 00	
Blethen House Water Co.,	40 00	
		\$ 95 o
Electric Lights for Court House and Jail.		
D. & F. Light & Heat Co.,		\$205 2
Telephone for Court House and Jail.		
White Mountain Telephone Co.,		\$57
Expenses of Jail.		
James M. Knowles—		
Board of Prisoners in Jail and Janitor se	rviae	
in Court House from Oct. 1, 1902, to		
1, 1903,	236 12	
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Board of prisoners in Jail from Jan. 1, to Oct. 1, 1903,	226	68
Janitor Service in Court House from Jan. 1, to Oct. 1, 1903,	300	00
Labor at Jail,	23	25
Cash paid out and Mattress furnished Count	y, 8	43
Warren & Dyer. Merchandise furnished Jail,	27	6 o
Runnals Bros. Labor and materials,	6	58
T. P. Elliott. Repairing shoes for prisoners,	2	85
Walter L. Brown. Labor and materials,	9	99
C. E. Holt. Treating prisoners tooth,	1	00
F. E. Waterman. Painting at Jail,	34	00
F. E. Pratt. Carpenter work,	6	00
Elmer E. Cole & Co. Drugs, medicines and stationery,	10	28
H. J. Dexter Wood-working Co. Labor, lumber and painting,	96	72
J. S. Rowe. Dry Goods,	4	93
Dr. C. C. Hall. Medical attendance upon prisoners,	32	85
Celon B. York. Barbering at Jail,	17	15

Geo. M. Poole & Son.			
Clothing for prisoners,	24	32	
B. A. Thomas.			
Cleaning out sewer,	I	50	
			\$1,070 2
Repairs on Highways and Bridges and mal	kino		
snow roads in unincorporated places.	8		
Barnard.			
Fred Ladd,	119	7 I	
W. E. Austin,	80	-	
· · · · ·			
			\$199 7
Bowerbank.			
A. P. Dow,	20		
S. G. Thompson,	82	-	
W. R. Clark,	80	00	
			\$182 96
Elliottsville.			ψ102 g
H. W. Lane,	197	00	
R. C. Davis,	100		
			\$297 00
Kingsbury.			
B. F. Bickford,	163	ΙI	
H. R. Sinclair,	278	29	
G. G. Robinson,	150	00	
			\$591 4

Lakeview.				
F. D. Gould,			\$47	95
Posting Road Notices, Surveying, etc.				
E. M. Bray,	8 2	24		
H. B. Flint,	6 8	37		
E. H. Poole,	10 7	72		
Henry S. Towne,	2 8	Во		
B. L. Glover,	3 (00		
A. C. Curtis,	4 8	32		
J. R. Flint,	3 (00		
E. M. Bray,	4 8	38		
Y				
			\$44	3.
Collecting State and County Taxes.				
Barnard, 1902, Fred Ladd,	. 7 9	00		
Barnard, 1903, Fred Ladd,	9 :	26		
Elliottsville, 1902, C. A. Davis,	20	ΙΙ		
Lakeview, 1902, E. M. Chase,	. 24	93		
		_	\$ 61	3
Expenses in State vs. Ballard. (see summa	ary)			
S. W. Robbins,	10 (00		
L. C. Ford, M. D.,	25	00		
J. C. Mitchell,	20	00		
Geo. E. Watson,	7 (05		
E. S. Ireland,	117	40		
A. E. Leonard,	21	40		
			\$200	8
Legal Services for County.				
M. L. Durgin,	10	00		
Henry Hudson,	23	00		
F. E. Guernsey,	10	00		
·			\$43	0

\$5,629 24

Miscellaneous Bills.				
A. M. McKusick, Lettering guide boards,	3	00		
County of Somerset,				
1-2 expense on petitions of B. W. Adams, et als,	19	69		
C. H. Doore. Surveying Roads,	24	27		
E. S. Ireland, Sheriff's Fees,	51	05		
A. E. Leonard. Services in State vs. Wyman,	27	55		
O. P. Martin, Agt. P. C. A. Protection of Animals,	14	58		
James M. Knowles, Deputy's fees, etc.,	10	48		
G. J. Babson, Rebate on Barnard assessment,	2	24		
			\$152	86

Total,

County Commissioners Bills of Cost.

84 Cases before Dover Municipal Court, Fees o Judge, Officers and Witnesses,	f ,220	08
12 Cases (Liquor) before Geo. W. Howe, Trial Justice, Fees of Justice and Officers,	108	82
² Cases before J. S. Williams, Trial Justice, Fees of Justice and Officers,	18	85
I Case before Henry Hudson, Trial Justice, Fees of Justice and Officers,	6	82
1 Case before Aubrey L. Fletcher, Trial Justice,		
Fees of Justice and Officers,	15	30
Wm. Bates' Inquest,	1	46
Search for stolen goods,	4	43
Daniel Collins' Inquest,	86	39

Total,

\$1,462 15

Details of Cost.

STATE VS. BALLARD.

Witness Fees,	\$759	65
Officers Fees,	142	79
Counsel's Fees,	150	00
C. C. Orders, (see page 14)	200	85
Jury Pay Roll, (see page 17)	417	96

\$1,671 25

Details of Cost.

STATE VS. GUYETTE.

Witness Fees,	170	58
Officers Fees,	23	43
Counsels Fees,	150	00

\$344 01

Paid Supreme Judicial Court Expenses.

FEBRUARY TERM, 1903.

Grand Jury,	\$292	60
First Traverse Jury,	392	20
Second Traverse Jury,	571	60
Special Traverse Jury, (Ballard Case,)	417	96
Sheriff and Deputies,	417	38
Constables for serving Venires,	57	00

\$2,148 74

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1903.

Grand Jury,	\$184	20
First Traverse Jury,	501	84
Second Traverse Jury,	633	96
Sheriff and Deputies,	384	10
Constables serving Venires,	57	00

\$1,761 10

\$3,909 84

Paid Supreme Judicial Court Orders.

W. P. Whitehouse.

Referee Fees:

Nathan C. Brackett, in Eq. vs. Amanda

E. Palmer, et als, 45 50

Henry B. Flint.

Fees in case of M. G. Shaw, in Eq. vs.

Sanders, et als, 5 38

Frederick A. Powers,

Referee Fees:

Case of A. A. Crafts, Ex. vs. Thos. A.

Young, 35 70

Case of A. A. Crafts, Ex. vs. Thos. A. Young,	25	
	35	70
Leslie C. Cornish,		
Referee Fees:		
Case of A. A. Crafts, Ex. vs. Thos. A.		
Young,	31	60
Case of A. A. Crafts, Ex. vs. Thos. A.		
Young,	31	60
Waldo Pettingill,		
Referee Fees:		
Case of A. A. Crafts, Ex., vs. Thos. A.		
Young,	35	25
Case of A. A. Crafts, Ex., vs. Thos. A.		
Young,	35	25
R. D. Small,		
Stenographer's Fees:		
Case of A. A. Crafts, Ex., vs. Thos. A.		
Young,	15	6o
Case of A. A. Crafts, Ex., vs. Thos. A.	J	
Young,	15	60
Frank E. Guernsey,	- 3	
Referee Fees:		
Case of C. W. Fields vs. C. W. Mullen,	20	00
	20	00
W. H. Monroe,		
Referee Fees:		
Case of Anna J. Davis vs. C. F. Scales,	33	50
Frederick A. Powers,		
Referee Fees:		
Case of J. E. Atwater vs. C. M. Stimson,	20	20
John C. Cross,	0	
Services as Messenger in Equity hearings,	8	35
James M. Knowles,		
Services as Janitor in Equity hearings,	10	00

Paid Dover Municipal Court Orders.

Case of Maryland Casualty Co., vs. Frank R.

Ladd,

Referee Fees:

Calvin W. Brown,

5 00

Frank A. Merrill,

5 00

William T. Elliott,

5 00

\$15 00

Paid Judge of Probate Orders.

Case of hearing on petition for allowance Est. of

J. H. Eveleth,

Stenographers Fees,

\$19 32

Total,

\$413 55

Paid Miscellaneous Bills.

State Treasurer.		
Acct. Plantation Taxes,	\$1,900	39
Kineo National Bank.		
Note of Dec. 31, 1900, and interest,	1,010	00
Kineo National Bank,		
Interest on County notes to Jan. 1, 1904,	320	00
First National Bank of Guilford,		
Interest on County notes to Jan. 1, 1904,	320	00
Piscataquis Savings Bank,		
Interest on County notes to Jan. 1, 1904,	I 28	00
E. S. Ireland,		
5 per cent. Confiscated Liquors,	4	57
State Treasurer,		
Fines collected for violation of game laws	410	00

\$4,092 96

Paid County Officers Salaries.

Judge of Probate,	\$500	00
Register of Probate,	500	00
Clerk of Courts,	700	00
Sheriff,	350	00
Treasurer,	275	00
H. S. Towne, Commissioner,	50	00

\$2,375 00

Outstanding Notes, at 4 per Cent.

Favor of Kineo National Bank, Dover.

Note of Dec. 5, 1900,	- \$3,000 00
Note of Jan. 9, 1901,	3.500 00
Note of July 13, 1901,	500 00
Note of July 15, 1901,	1,000 00

\$8,000 00

Favor of First National Bank, Guilford.

Note of Nov. 18, 1901,	\$2,000 00
Note of Dec. 3, 1901,	2,000 00
Note of Dec. 5, 1901,	2,000 00
Note of Dec. 27, 1901,	2,000 00

\$8,000 00

Favor of Piscataquis Savings Bank, Dover.

Note of July 24, 1902,	, \$2,000 00
Note of Jan. 6, 1903,	1,000 00
Note of July 25, 1903,	500 00

\$3,500 00

Total Outstanding Notes,

\$19,500 00

Report of Jailer of Piscataquis County Jail at Dover, Maine.

From January	1, 1903 to January 1, 1904.		
Whole number of Prisoners f	or year 1903,		19
Number committed for	Breaking, entering and		
	larceny,	3	
	Manslaughter,	1	
((((((Single sale, search and		
۲۰ ۲۰ ۲۰	seizure,	2 I	
" "	Larceny,	3	
	Cruelty to horse,	o I	
,	Murder,	I	
	Forgery,	2	
	Assault,	2	
	Threatening to shoot,	I	
,	Evading fare R. R.,	I	
	Debt,	I	
	_		
			19
For board of prisoners for 19		\$377	56
For key fees,		7	80
For Justice Papers,		I	90
For clothing,		27	64
For jail supplies,		10	29
For tobacco and matches,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	9	88
For stationery,		7	60
For barbering,		15	60
For medical attendance and n	nedicine,	14	35
For jail and house repairs,			30
For house and jail furnishing	•	111	•
-			
For Salary,		200	00

Total, \$834 44
JAMES M. KNOWLES, JAILER.

